

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Kristof CHWALISZ et al. Group Art Unit: 1617

Serial No.: 10/043,232 Examiner: MITCHELL, Gregory W.

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For: IMPLANTATION RATES AFTER IN VITRO FERTILIZATION, AND

TREATMENT OF INFERTILITY AND EARLY PREGNANCY LOSS WITH A NITRIC OXIDE DONOR OR SUBSTRATE ALONE OR IN COMBINATION WITH PROGESTERONE, AND A METHOD FOR

CONTRACEPTION WITH NITRIC OXIDE INHIBITORS IN

COMBINATION WITH ANTIPROGESTINS OR OTHER AGENTS

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REPLY

Sir:

In response to the Office action dated April 22, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.